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Best Kid Gloves. Every pair guaranteed by D. Harris &amp; Co. \$1 Spring street.

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We offer the balance of our stock at cost, and lease of building, all on favorable terms. CLARK, HAYES &amp; CO.

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Fox American and Empire stores, the best in the market at reduced prices. B. W. MURRAY.

NEW MEAT MARKET.—Underengaged to open for a first-class meat market on Washington street, above Walnut, where he will keep a supply of all kinds of fresh and cut meats, also lard, butter, eggs and poultry. He seeks a trial from the citizens of Titusville, and promises to give entire satisfaction. GRO. W. FRANT.

Our sales have averaged nearly \$5,000 per day since the 12th inst.

CLARK, HAYES &amp; CO.

DOMESTIC INVESTMENT.—The subscribers offer from this date forward their stock at bare cost.

We wish to say in this connection, this is no hushing sale, but positive, as the first of May ends our year. Shall go out of business as soon after as possible. To any responsible party or partner desiring a choice fresh stock of goods, with lease of building in the most desirable part of the city, we will give good terms, and invite their early attention to a most remunerative investment. To the trade who have favored us with their patronage, we return thanks, and now offer them all the benefits of our purchases. Our long experience in the grocery' trade. We have a fine stock of imported and domestic liquors, which dealers shall have a like benefit. Our stock is the largest and best selected in this part of the State, and shall be closed out at cost.

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Titusville, April 11, 1871.

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New Advertisements—  
J. C. HOWLEY & CO.—Steam Engines and Boilers.  
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Mrs. B. F. PEASE—Agent Domestic Sewing Machine.

Prentiss Station.

A short time ago notice was made of a station on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, which had sprung up suddenly at the side of the track, about five miles below Oil City. The cause of this sudden appearance of a shanty in the midst of a fertile farm, and of the trains stopping at it, arises from the discovery of rich oil fields about a mile back from the railroad. There is now only a small shanty at the station, used as a refreshment saloon. Messrs. Turnbull & Simons have commenced a lumber yard on the place, but as yet have only a small quantity of lumber on the spot. The ground around the shanty has been laid out in lots for building purposes, but we did not hear of any of them having been taken.

The manner in which this excellent oil territory came to be operated was as follows: In the spring of 1870 Messrs. Angel & Prentiss, the well-known oil dealers, thinking that the oil belt from Petroleum Centre to Foster farm, on the Allegheny river, in Rockland township, lay in direct line, they surveyed the land lying between those places, and drew a straight line from the former to the latter place, marking their way on the trees. This line extends from Wood's hill through Charley run, Reno and Foster farm. They then bought a number of tracts of land lying on this line at different places and now hold them.

Last winter Messrs. Finley, Simons, McDonald and Hemmell went into Cranberry township, and finding this line by the marks left on the trees, put a well down on the line. This, however, did not produce more than three barrels per day, and was soon abandoned. This was known as the Bradain lease, and was offered at the time, well and all, for \$2,500. It has since been sold for \$10,000. The sand rock in this well was about twenty feet thick and of a poor quality. Messrs. Finley, Simons, McDonald and Hemmell, still thinking there was oil paying quantities near by, moved south about forty rods on the Milton farm, and, procuring a lease of sixteen acres, commenced to sink a new well about thirty feet from the Angel & Prentiss line. They found the sand in this well to be about thirty feet deep and of excellent quality. This and they penetrated to the depth of twenty feet, and on the 28th of March the well commenced pumping at the rate of one hundred barrels per day, and the production has never fallen below that figure. The owners of this well are putting down two more wells, one of which is down three hundred and seven feet, and is the deepest well now drilling.

In June, 1870, Messrs. Tarbell, Patterton, Hock and Dickey (not being then aware of the Angel & Prentiss line) were "wild-calling" in that section, and noticing one evening, as they were riding along the State road, that they were in a line with the gas lights at Reno and Foster farm, concluded to purchase the farm they were then on, and known as the Gibbons farm. Then they did, and paid to Mr. Gibbons the sum of \$5,000 for 100 acres lying on both sides of the State road. Since the striking of the Finley well, which is only about fifty rods north of their purchase, they have sold one quarter of the 100 acres for \$10,000. This spring they have laid out lots on both sides of the road for building purposes, and have leased twenty-five of the lots to parties who intend to build immediately. Already some five or six buildings have been erected, and several more are under way.

On the east of the Gibbons farm is the Wm. Huff farm, and is owned by Crawford & Lee, of Franklin. There are now three derricks in process of erection on this farm close to the Gibbons line, and the material on the ground for several more.

On the south of the Gibbons is the Cook Farm, of which Andrews & McMullan have a lease of thirty-six acres.

The Opera was strongly cast. Mrs. C. Richings Bernard as Valentine, Miss Rose Hersch as Marguerite, Miss Annie Kemp Bowles as Ursine, Mr. William Castle as Rook, Mr. Henri Drayton as Marcel, and Mr. S. C. Campbell as St. Urs. Mr. Drayton has the expression of a good actor, and his voice was full and rich. Mr. Drayton's organ tones have a majestic sonorosity, in keeping with the dignity of his bearing, and his deep voice seems specially adapted to adoration, deification and imprecation, to which his general delivery and deportment adds a greater weight. Mr. Castle exhibits the true artist, susceptible and full of feeling, but never effording good taste, with a pure and refined style, whether of voice or acting. Miss Hersch has marked gravity and brilliancy of manner as well as tone, combined with a grace and vivacity that fit her charmingly for all lighter parts. The Marguerite of Mrs. Richings Bernard seemed too subdued at the opening, and had then no distinguishing attractions. It was not till the grand duet that it wore its brightest phase, and roused enthusiasm. Her voice then grew delicious as the matina of the turt, mounting at once to Heaven's gate, pouring forth notes of joy, and a most exquisite piece of acting, of pure dramatic art, is seldom witnessed on the stage. It was incomparably subtle in beauty and execution.

This place, which has been faithfully termed "Driftwood," is about three and a half miles east of Franklin, on the State road, known also as the military road, and is about one mile from the Valley Railroad.

The present indications are that this territory will prove one of the best which will be developed this season. Experienced operators express great confidence in it, and a few weeks will prove it worth.

Vandergrift & Forman have already laid a pipe from Oil City, and are drawing the oil from the tanks of the Finley well.

The oil of this well is of light gravity,

perhaps the test will show it about forty-eight.

A QUESTION OF VERACITY, AND A FAIR PROPOSITION.—The Courier affects to believe the assertion that the circulation of the HERALD is fully one thousand more than that of the Courier. Now that the question is raised we should like to have it satisfactorily determined, and we venture to assert that the regular daily issue of the HERALD is not only a thousand more than that of the Courier, but that it is nearly double that of the Courier. Let a committee of disinterested persons be agreed upon to investigate and report the facts, and if they do not show that Mr. Gibbs understated the circulation of the Courier by a thousand, and that Mr. Bross understated the circulation of the HERALD, in the discussion before the Council on Wednesday evening, then we will concede the point.

The facts in the case can be determined upon the sworn testimony of the employees of both establishments.

Two NEW PRODUCING WELLS ON

CHESTER RUN.—The Harris well on the

Maguire farm was finished on Thursday

night, torpedoed yesterday, and is now

pumping at the rate of 30 barrels per day.

The new Schuyler & Easby well No. 2,

on the Maguire farm, struck oil yesterday morning, and is now pumping at the rate of 25 barrels per day.

REV. A. SINCLAIR will occupy his own

pulpit on Sunday morning and evening,

at the usual hours of service.

Gold Fish for sale at McDonald's Drug

Store.

The Grand Opera Last Night; the Huguenots.

The Opera House presented an animated spectacle last evening, with its sea of pleased, expectant faces in parquet, dress circle, balconies and boxes. The English Opera Troupe have reason to know that their strains of harmony and refined music do not fall on dull, cold audiences, but are received with sympathy and appreciation. Last evening the "Huguenots" exhibited the whole force of the company and contained much grand vocalism, thrilling symphony and passages full of dramatic fire and pathos. To-night "Marriage of Figaro" will breathe softer measures, more delicate music, and afford more material for diversion and general interest.

One needs to know little of music as a science or art, to enjoy the Opera. The ear for sound, and the inner sense of beauty, and sympathy, are so sensitive that the true artist is sure to captivate when he employs the true tones and passions of Nature. The Operas in a strange language lose half its effect, for it is only when sound is married to sense that it shivers along the arteries of sensation and vibrates the cords of affection. To have a reasonable acquaintance with the argument of the musical drama, its plot and incidents, crises and catastrophes, is great help and gain in following the course of the piece, its even flow, sparkle, eddy, and torrent passages. Without these, all is confusion of tongues and often naught but "sound and fury, signifying nothing." The "Huguenots" is the inland story of love stronger than filial affection, than patriotism, than a sense of religious duty, and than life itself. In a general way, we are ravished to our recollection one of the most exciting periods of French history, in which man's inhumanity to man" has been illustrated in examples of the most lurid in infamy and gloom with atrocious. We see the bigot, thinking he can do God service by persecuting the adherent of an opposite faith. But in the Opera, we concentrate our thought upon the fortunes of the individuals, and attach our sympathies involuntarily to them, as they are swayed by the contending emotions of pride, jealousy, devotion, and the intoxication of love become madness. The love, mutual, and real at that night, between Raoul and Valentine, was like a star upon the first scene of all, filling with lustre the walls of the festive board, and breaking into love's rhapsody. We see the Queen Marguerite in her coquetry, and with a woman's love of match-making. We see Raoul, poisoned with false suspicions, defeating his own happiness, and crushing a true, sincere heart. We see Valentine wed to another, Raoul the mark of St. Brin vengeance, and the destined victim of a plot, in which De Nevers is too noble and honorable to engage. He will not "stain his name" his forefathers were "no assassins vile." He avows his life for such treachery or rebellion. Very opportunity for Valentine and Raoul is his taking off, for Valentine is driven like Desdemona to tell her love. There is no other alternative, for Raoul has discovered the plot to massacre his brethren of the Protestant creed, and he would warn or aid them, "the impious traitors say;" "he must not stay," "time is short," "he will not stay," "time is short," "he must not stay." Valentine would in mercy stay him she must open all her heart. "If still to thee I'm dear, know then, if thou shouldst die, I could not live. Stay me! I love thee!" This isjwryng from this maiden, as all see. Raoul is transfixed by rapture. He starts back, exclaiming, in half lost breath, "There lovit me, thou lovest me! Oh, moment of bliss! How with joy my heart is beating! Come death, I'll meet thee now! Here at thy feet, my loved one, I'll meet the blow!" And so he does, or she does; after sweet words, and hearts wildly beating, her tremulous repose in his arms, his watchful, tender embrace; "right of gladness," "night of sadness," the fatal bell is heard, and her poor heart sinks. Raoul rises from this delirium of love; removes his hat, his heart is broken, and he says, as the blaze of the conflict fills the curtain, "Thus shalt not go," "she says, "my heart is torn with pain"; she says, "I can leave her to die," excusing Raoul, distracted; "Come back to life. Oh what a moment of terror! No, I do! I do! God, watch over her now! God! I now implore thee!" And Raoul and Valentine are in a weeping, screaming, doffing and exulting and exultant scene.

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The Huguenots was a most delightful evening, and the audience was unanimous in its verdict.

The Marriage of Figaro is a much more

delightful opera than that of just evening, being full of mirth and pleasantness, and occupying in its rendition but little more than half the time of the "Huguenots."

Some of the most desirable seats in

the theater are disengaged for to-night, and can be obtained on early application at the box office. This will be the last appearance of the English Opera troupe in Titusville during the present year.

Rules Regulating the Republican Primary Elections in Venango County.

TIME AND PLACE FOR HOLDING ELECTIONS.

1. The primary elections of the Republican party of Venango County shall be held between the first day of May and the first day of June, in each township, on the day appointed by the executive committee at least four weeks before the day of said election, and at the place of holding the general election in each township, ward and district, and at the following voting places:

2. The election shall be held between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and the polls shall be open for inspection by two inspectors of the voting precincts, or by two inspectors of the election district, and the polls shall be closed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

3. The election shall be held in the hall of the voting precincts, or in the hall of the election district, and the polls shall be closed at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Young New York in the West.

The New York correspondents of the Boston Journal tell this story: One of his family traveling in Europe. Among them is a young son, who is preparing to travel to join his mother in the spring. He has a "boy" in America, whom he would like to make one of the party who were to have been audience with the Pope. As is well known, these audience held in the Library of the Vatican. The visitors who have been there have invariably seen on either side single file. As he passes slowly along, devout Catholics kneel and kiss the slipper; quasi-Catholics bow; others stand and salute him. His Holiness, whose name is extended to all.

The young New Yorker was the last in the line. He did not know to kiss the shoe, nor did he kiss the curtains, but bowed it, and gave it a good hearty "Thank you." The reception at the audience of the young man was very marked. The Pope, who was evidently taken by surprise, was the first to receive him. He shook his finger reproachfully at the youth, laid his hand on his shoulder, and said: "You are from New York, I presume, young man?" "I am a New Yorker," was the reply. "I thought so," said the Pontiff, as he passed on, smiling. "What do you think?" "I am quite satisfied with anything," When questioned he said do such a thing. Young America replied: "Do dare it? I shake hands with General Grant and General Scott, and why should I not shake hands with the Pope?" The affair is the talk of the street, where the young man is well known. It will make him quite famous as the act of Rudolph Ulrich, who hung his cloak in the mud before Queen Bee.

The Concho Indians are disgruntled with the employment of colored troops on the frontier; they are so fond to scalp.

Mains made the biggest devil's fistulas in the country. Six-quartermile bulls were the basis, and they were unable to hold the weight of the organ by water power.

A colt with two perfect heads, two necks, and six legs, came into the world at Wheeling, Va., the other day, along with another colt that was perfectly formed.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Crempien &amp; Moore

Respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Titusville and vicinity, that they will open a temporary office on the

First of May,

AT—

The Parshall House,

FOR FIFTEEN DAYS ONLY:

With the object of offering their celebrated Herbal Apothecaries for the relief and radical cure of Hernia or

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With the Herbal Apothecaries is furnished the celebrated

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Each Machine thoroughly warranted.

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Pianos, Organs and Melodeons,

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INSTRUMENT BOOKS,

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Bradbury,

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and fill all orders of other manufacturers of instru-

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of Boston, the newest organ manufacturer yet pro-

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prices. A large stock of select Music always

on hand.

Our instruments need no notice at our hands;

they are the best in the country.

We will sell on monthly payment, and will

make arrangements to meet all who may

fancy to have a trial. J. H. GARDNER,

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## REMOVAL!

The undersigned would respectfully request to his friends and public to call on him at his present residence, the store No. 35 West Spring street, lately occupied by Tinker & Co., a few days ago.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

to which he will remove on April 25, and where he will henceforth be happy to receive all his old customers.

We will do our best to endeavor to merit him in the new place, and hope to merit and attain it also in the new, neatest and best in the

WILLIAM MAYERSTEIN.

April 1st, 1871.

P. S. The best of custom work, for which he

can be sure.

PHILADELPHIA &amp; ERIE R.R.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after MAY 1st, 1871, the

train from Philadelphia to Erie, Pennsylvania,

will be suspended.

At Erie, Pa.,

At Corry, Pa.,

At Warren, Pa.,

At Jamestown, N.Y.,

At Buffalo, N.Y.,

At Albany, N.Y.,

At Troy, N.Y.,

At Saratoga, N.Y.,

At Glens Falls, N.Y.,

At Plattsburgh, N.Y.,

At Whitehall, N.Y.,

At Lake George, N.Y.,

At Utica, N.Y.,